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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

This is filed in response to the Office Action mailed June 18, 2002 in the above-noted U.S. patent application. Kindly enter the following remarks, including the election of Groups and species under the Restriction Requirement, and the following amendments.

In the Claims

Please cancel claims 14-26, 29, 31, 53 and 54 without prejudice.

Please amend claims 1, 27, 32-34 and 51 as follows:

1. (Amended) A method for monitoring activity of one or more enzymes comprising the steps of:

A. mixing:

- (i) one or more tagged binding partner polypeptides;
- (ii) one or more binding partner polypeptides that correspond to said one or more tagged binding partner polypeptides of step (i); and